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Andrew B. Duvall.

In the death of Andrew B. Duvall the District of Columbia loses a splendid citizen and a worthy public servant. By his death the bar of the District loses one of its exemplars of uprightness, integrity, and faithfulness, combined with learning and

Andrew B. Duvall leaves a clean and man he will be kept in affectionate remembrance until the present generation has passed away.

Vacation—A Retrospect.

Now that the vacation season is over it may be well to look back to see what it meant to us. To most of us it meant a useful cessation from the daily grind that mills our bread and a resulting store of energy with which to turn the wheels for another year. But that should not be all of the advantage of a vacation. There should be a widening of the mental horizon; a more intimate acquaintance with other people and other conditions than our own; a store of memories of country landscapes, of mountains, rivers, and lakes; the love of sea and sky; and knowledge of some great fact learned, of some useful ex-

Perhaps we have brought all of these things home with us, and yet, with the perversity of human nature, hide them from our friends and limit our talk of vacation time to a discussion of the creature comforts of some particular hotel or the entomological tortures of camping. There is one man in this town who is unable to describe the glories of his mountain camp or to tell truthfully how many trout he caught, but he knows exactly, and describes with feeling, the number and virulence of the chigoe and mosquito bites he brought back with him.

By December his memory will dwell pleasantly on the delights of the wealth of a Rockefeller and had camping, and the real benefits of his retired from active business.

rent. The birds of the air, the beasts of the field, and the winds of winter scatter the seeds of countless plants over the places laid waste today, and next spring the recurrent pulse of life will clothe in flowery beauty the de-

Above the broken columns of departed glory the palm tree and the wild rose rise in lonely loveliness: and what the mottled carpet of the grass cannot hide the shifting sands of the desert entomb. The impulse for life, for the present expression of cosmic vitality, is too strong to pause. too insistent to lament what is lost. always eagerly pressing onward to what lies ahead, never regarding the past

In all the universe, as known to us. only man looks back. The swing of planets and the drift of suns is in a cosmic movement forward, ever forward; the movement of life is always onward and upward in an evolution that blots out individuals, types, and kinds in its hurry toward its far-off divine event. And even man looks back but seldom. The fields of Waterloo and Gettysburg bear flowers year by year, and year by year the young men and the maidens stroll over them hand in hand, with eyes set forward to a future the vitality of the race demands.

Since the world began no such conflict has been waged as that now ending on the fields of Manchuria. Since man first grappled with his fellowman in the last brutal expression of the struggle for existence, war, no by 18. such desperate fighting, carnage, misery, has been known. Since valor, courage, heroism, patriotism, and the As one contempt of death were virtues never have they been more common, more brilliant, more determined than in

the war between Japan and Russia. That war is now a matter of his tory; it is as much a thing of the And in his past as the fight that was waged upon the windy fields of Troy. Over the bones of those who died on the hills of Port Arthur the silent grass will weave its mantle, and the cold, thin snow-blanket of the Manchurian plains will this winter shroud the ditches where lie the remains of the Of Beauty known, shall some day ye brave men who watched and fought

in zero weather last year. What of the heroes who suffered privation, cold, wounds, and death? What of the man who gave up all the individual holds dear; and, at his country's call, gave up life itself in order that what is of more importance, the life of his race, might be

did what all of us should do if the call came; his pains and he are of yesterday. He has been gathered not his fathers. He will rest in RIDGELYS BACK

The cessation of the war will not salve a wound that was made last year; it will bring to life neither Nogi's sons nor the sons of the poorest peasant in Nippon. Not only the men but the horrors of the past are dead. But peace will conserve the majority of the present armies for the pleasant tasks of life and for the gentle joys of the fireside.

In the light of the sum of the individual claims to happiness represented by the vast armies now in Manchuria peace was demanded, and Will Make Their Home at the Portland peace is a blessing. The war has accomplished that which was needful; further fighting would have been a reckless waste of life.

War is hell; its horrors have never sides and the fields of Manchuria will mobile, accompanied by his two daughhonorable record as a lawyer; as a blossom again, and in a few years all ters. Miss Catherine Cullom Ridgely personal memory of the brave will have passed away. But the living sol- but Miss C. C. Ridgely went from New diers and the survivors of the fighting York to Elborough, N. J., for a short men will pass their manly virtue on visit to Mrs. George Pullman. She will men will pass their manly virtue on to generations yet to come, and, therefore, we welcome peace.

One Service of the Press.

The attrition of everyday social and business intercourse is the means whereby our minds and manners are polished. No matter how large the good the disposition may be, we need constantly to be in contact with and to rub against our fellows in order to gain and keep the polish that will reveal our true worth.

There are crude, rough edges to all of us that need grinding down; but the man of too sensitive and retiring a disposition is apt to avoid the thing he most needs, good, wholesome contradiction and correction by friendly or unfriendly contact with others.

Herein lies the true reason why so many successful business men fear to retire when their legitimate financial needs have been provided for; they fear the rust of their faculties, the dreadful weariness of lack of occupation; they are trained to busines and know very little else.

The full rounding of character that should be the main end of every man's endeavor would avoid this slavery to one set of activities. With a mind actively open to the larger movements of the race no man should be bored or driven to vicious indulgences though he had acquired

The press of today by keeping our Peace and the Fighting Men. the advance of science and the debusiness men in constant touch with The world has a way of hiding its lights of intelligent travel is perash heaps. Nature conceals that forming a great public service by which is ugly, disgusting, or abhor- awakening and keeping active interests and desires that can only lead to good to the individual and benefit to

Palestine and Iron Beds.

The Daily Consular and Trade Reports says that, owing to the large influx of foreign tourists to Palestine, the importation of many articles, such as iron beds and furniture, has greatly increased

Iron beds as one of the by-products of migration and travel are much to be commended. Indeed, they might be recommended to resorts not quite so distant as Jerusalem. It is not necessary to wander beyond the limits of Christendom to wonder why Allah made such fierce friends of humanity and made such numbers of them.

Heaven helps those who haven't to many kind friends to help them.

In New York, investigation sometimes investigates, but fusion doesn't always

A Kingston (N. Y.) man has placed a sign over his wife's grave, asking: "Where did you get that hat?" A mean husband would have asked 'Where did you get that crown?'

Judge Alton B. Parker is mournful The country, however, is quite again.

They are learning how not to strike in Chicago. There is hope even for Chi-

Danville, Va., has come to the conclusion that it is a long time between Two years ago Danville went dry by 200 majority, now the wets win

THE GLIMPSE.

who lives far inland day by day, And knew in legend only or in dream The open deep, yet ere he passed away Went down at last by rill and wide

And, tottering to a cliff, beheld the sea And woke to life's more luminous lost sweep,

To slumber there beside that alie

So I, God grant, who sometimes hear

Earth's din the sea, and thro' this rest

less sleep Have caught thin momentary echoes of better things, and my poor broken dreams

with love Of wider visions follow Hope's thir

And ere the twilight falls shall humbly By many paths where many sorrows

out to the last lone headland, and ther

By my belated ocean, in the end! GEORGE McGREGOR.

The Washington Times conserved? Nothing! Absolutely nothing! He was a brave man; he was a brave man; he was a brave man; he did what all of we should do to the

FROM EUROPE

Comptroller and Daughters Have Returned.

TOURED IN AN AUTOMOBILE

Again During the Coming Winter.

Among the interesting people just been adequately told; time and life back from a summer in Europe is the Comptroller of Currency, William Barcover its ravages and smooth its ret Ridgely, who spent most of the hideous scars. In the spring the hill- season in touring Europe in an autoand Miss Eleanor Ridgely. accompanied her father to Washington arrive in Washington tonight or in the morning and with her sister, who, by will create a sensation by her personal beauty when she comes this season, will go to stay a while with Mrs. Blow at her estate in Glouceser county, Va. Mr. Ridgely and his daughters will make their home at the Portland again this winter.

Mrs. Southerland and the Misses soul, how extensive the learning, how they spent the summer, and will stay during the autumn at Bedford Springs, Mass., returning to Washington some time in October.

> Col. E. B. Townsend moved Wednes day from his beautiful home in Mt. Pleasant, where he has resided for the past fifteen years, and will make his home for the present on Kenesaw avenue, near Sixteenth street. His attractive residence on Mt. Pleasant, which recently sold, will be remembered by Colonel Thompson's men friends as a place which constantly afforded them the handsomest and most generous hospitality. The colonel will build a house after his own taste upon a piece of property owned by him on Columbia road west of Sixteenth street. Just now Dorwin, of Syracuse, N. Y.

Mrs. Howard N. Thompson, known in Washington newspaper world as the sprightly "Pauline Pry," and as an edi-torial writer on Harper's Weekly several years ago, did not accompany her hus-band upon his present trip to America, but remained in Russia with her chil-dren. She will meet Mr. Thompson in Paris, for which place he salls Septem-ber 22, and will spend a month with him there before returning to St. Peters-burg.

Mrs. Harban, wife of Dr. Walter Harban, and her sister, Mrs. Shipe, returned to their homes, on Massachusetts avenue, on Wednesday evening after several months spent at Poland Springs, Me.; Bretton Woods, N. H., and Atlantic City.

The engagement of Miss Cora Eichengreen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Eichengreen, of Baltimore, to S. M. Adler, of Washington, is announced. A reception will be held at 1926 Madison avenue, the home of the bride-elect, on Sunday, September 24, from 3 to 6 and 8 to 11 o'clock.

Miss Beila Bateman and her mother, Mrs. Arthur Bateman, returned to their home, on Columbia road, early this week, after a stay of several months at Capon Springs, Va.

Miss Agnes L. Eichborn and Mrs. Virginia Alder are prominent guests at the Gadsby House, South Connecticut avenue, Atlantic City, for the month of September.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Offutt, of Wisc Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Offutt, of Wisconsin avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter, Miss Ethyle Gertrude, to Robert Stanley MacKnight, of this city. The marriage will take place next spring. Mr. MacKnight is a student in the medical school of the George Washington University.

The announcement is made by Mr. and Mrs. Thomas N. Steep of the marriage of their daughter, Miss Clara B. Steep, to H. Franklin Walker on September 6. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. J. H. S. Ewell.

The Mississippi Society will hold its regular meeting at Pythian Temple, 101 Ninth street northwest, on Saturday evening, September 16, at 8 o'clock Mississippiene and friends are cordially

evening, Septemb Mississipplene and invited to attend. Mrs. Mattie J. Rease, of Wichita

Kan., is visiting her sisters, Mrs. S. W. Howell and Mrs. J. J. Hassold, at 1131 Eleventh street northwest.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gareissen, who were married in this city in the late spring, have taken an apartment at the Rochambeau for the season.

Among the Washington people tered in Paris today are Mrs. J. H. and Miss Gladys Moore and Mrs. G. H. and Wallace G. Wright.

Washington people registered at New York hotels today include R. C. Adams, J. L. Bost, Dr. W. S. Bowen, B. L. Butcher, R. W. Cox, E. S. Crooker, H. C. Frankenfield, R. Gibson, J. H. Henley, M. Kreck, M. A. Kuhne, C. J. Lockwood, V. Lockwood, L. E. Payson, R. H. Taylor, G. H. Townsend, F. R. Weller, P. F. Brock, W. S. Bryan, W. B. Burke, Mrs. J. D. Cameron, E. V. Cave, J. S. Chsriton, W. L. Crane, H. W. Fitchley, J. H. Hensley, J. P. Leonard, A. D. Raks, Miss S. B. McClay, I. J. Meagley, E. J. Prinde, C. T. Richardson, C. G. Rook, R. Rutherford, E. E. Swan, Mrs. L. H. Whipple, Mrs. F. W. Bennett, G. Bliss, J. B. Church, G. H. Evans, Miss I. Milhurst, J. E. Subbert, Miss K. Tydall, E. A. M. Walker.

Mr. and Mrs. Sol Meyer, of Massach setts avenue, are on a trip through the North, and are spending some time at Thousand Islands, Niagara, Quebec, Montreal, and New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Berliner and fam ily, who have been spending the summ in Maine, have returned, and are l cated in their home on Columbia road

Mrs. Leon H. Reizenstein, who cam to Washington to be present at the cele-bration of the fiftieth wedding anniver-sary of her parents. Mr. and Mrs. R. Harris, has returned to her home in Mt. Vernon, N. Y.

Miss Kirschbaum, of Indianapolis, is ere, the guest of Mrs. A. Berwanger, f Columbia road.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Slater have arrived in New York on the White Star liner Baltic, after spending the summer



MISS HARRIET WADSWORTH AND MISS ELIZABETH WARDER. Two Popular Washington Society Girls Who Will Figure Prominently in the Festivities of the Coming Season.

MISS HELEN SIMPSON WEDS MR. THOMPSON

Quiet, But Pretty, Marriage in Anacostia-Couple on Honeymoon Trip-Miss Reba Barnard Chick and Edward Stone Collins Also Married.

who is stopping at the Aspinwall, and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Watson Gilder. Their guests included Garret A. Hobart, son of the late Vice President; Miss Southerland, of Edinburgh, Scotland, and Miss Kenzle, of London, who are in the Berkshires with Mrs. Hobart; Mrs. L. E. Bagg and Miss Bagg, of Parls; Miss Gilder, Richard Goodman, and the Marquise Emanuel de Rosales. In the parsonage of St. Teresa's Roman Catholic Church, Anacostia, at noon yesterday, Miss Helen Simpson and George L Thompson were married by church.

Only the families were present at the ceremony, but a small reception was held afterward for the most intimate friends at the home of the bride's aunt, he is entertaining his cousin, Miss Belle Mrs. F. C. Bache, with whom she has always lived.

The bride, who had no attendants, was dressed in a champagne colored gown with hat to match. After the reception, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson left Washing-ton for their honeymoon trip to Piney Point, Md. They will make Washington their home after October 1. The bride received a large number of very handsom presents. The house was prettily deco rated with palms, ferns, and large cluster of cut flowers.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Gillette have returned from a stay of some weeks at the seashore, and have taken an apartment in the Cecil. Mrs. Gillette was formerly Mrs. Carrie Cottrell La Grange, her marriage to Mr. Gillette terday by the Rev. Dr. W. Pettis, in being an event of last June. copal Church.

The bride, who wore a smart cream-colored broadcloth walking suit and hat, was attended by her sister, Miss Mabel M. Chick, who also wore a cream-white

James & Collins, the bridegroom brother, was best man. Immediately after the ceremony the young couple left for Baltimore to take the steamer for Boston. After traveling north for a short while, they will return to Georgetown. They will be at home to their friends after October 1 at their new home, 1822 Thirty-fourth street.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Ellis cele-brated their golden wedding anniversary by a reception last evening at their home. 698 E street southeast, which was beau-tifully decorated with flowers and palms for the occasion.

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Among the guests were the Rev. J. C. Nicholson and Mrs. Nicholson, of Trinity Methodist Episcopal Church; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel E. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Herfurth. Mr. and Mrs. David Youxt, Mr. and Mrs. James Poston, Mrs. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. W D. Benson and their daughters, Miss Florence, Miss Jenny, Miss Carrie, Miss Sadie, and Miss Jenny, Miss Carrie, Miss Sadie, and Mrs. George Henderson, Mr. and Mrs. Wallach McCathran, Miss Craig, Mr. and Mrs. James Watts, Miss Nettle Rapee, Mr. and Mrs. William Fox, Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson, Miss Eva Clarke, Miss Lavina Laughlin. and Mrs. Laura Lefebre, also of Baltimore.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis were assisted in receiving by Mrs. Poston, Mrs. Herfurth, Mrs. Burgess, and Miss Craig.

Announcement has just been made of the wedding in Longport last Monday evening of Miss A. Violet Goldenburge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Goldenburge, of Longport, to Fred Gates, of Washington. The Rev. Charles D. Sinkinson, D. D., pastor of the Christ Methodist Protestant Church, performed the ceremony at the bride's home.

home.
The bride, who was formerly of Philadelphia, was attended by her niece, Miss May Kemble Goldenburge, as bridesmaid. The best man was William bridesmaid. The best man was William Kemble Goldenburge.

After spending a month's honeymoon in New York city and Washington, the young couple will take up their perma-nent residence in Atlantic City.

The marriage of Dr. Arthur H Kimball, son of Judge and Mrs. Kimball, of this city, and Miss Helena Kimball, of Hingham, Mass., took place yesterday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at the home of the bride.

The Rev. Dr. Robinson performed the ceremony in the Old Congregational Church there, of which he is the pastor.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Ruth Kimball, the maid of honor, and Walter F. Kimball, the bride-groom's brother, was best man.

Judge and Mrs. Kimball, Miss Bertha L. Kimball, a sister, and Miss Jennie O. Kimball, an aunt of the groom, were present.

Dr. and Mrs. Kimball will spend their

Dr. and Mrs. Kimball will spend their honeymoon at Scituate Beach, Mass, and will return to take up their residence at the home of Judge Kimball about October 1. Dr. Kimball was a graduate from Amherst in 1897 and from the Johns Hopkins Medical School in 1901.

He afterward studied at Freiberg, Germany, and then returned to become resident physician at the Eye, Ear and Throat Hospital in Baltimore, He is now practicing in Washington, and is on the visiting staff of St. Elizabeth's Asylum.

Mrs. Kimball is a daughter of George Kimball, a lumber merchant of Hingham, Mass, She has recently been teaching in New England.

Last evening at the residence of the paster of the Mt. Pleasant Congregational Church, Miss Nettie E. Cole and Charles E. Gray were married. The Rev. M. Ross Fishburn officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Gray are at home to their friends at 619 Seventh street northeast.

Mr and Mrs. George Westinghouse entertained a luncheon party at Erskine Park yesterday, for Mrs. Garret A. Hobart, wife of the late Vice President,

For Government Work

This Number of Applications Was Filed With Civil Service Commissioners From January 1 to June 30.

"From the 1st of last January up to June 20," said an official of the Civil Service Commission, this morning, "fifty thousand applications were filed by men and women seeking appointments in the Government service. And of this number about 45,000 took the examination.

"As a rule something like 10 per cent of the people who file applications fail to take the examination.

"The idea some people have that there is but a slim chance to get into the Government service through the medium of a competitive examination is contrary to our statistics. Nearly one-half, or more accurately speaking, 35 per cent of the applicants who pass the examination are appointed. The average age of those appointed was twenty-eight years. "Here is an interesting fact that will be news to many people. The civil service act became a law July 16, 1883, and by January 15, 1884, the commission had examined 3,000 applicants, 2,000 of whom passed, and of these eightles 40 whom passed, and of these were appointed was twenty-eight years. "Here is an interesting fact that will be news to many people. The civil service act became a law July 16, 1883, and by January 15, 1884, the commission had examined 3,000 applicants, 2,000 of whom passed, and of them passed, and 48,000 of these were appointed. The average age of those appointed was twenty-eight years. "Here is an interesting fact that will be news to many people. The civil service act became a law July 16, 1883, and by January 15, 1884, the commission had examined 3,000 applicants, 2,000 of whom passed, and of these eligibles 40 whom passed, and of these eligibles 40 whom passed, and of these appointed was twenty-eight years. "Here is an interesting fact that will be news to many people. The civil service act became a law July 16, 1883, and by January 15, 1884, the commission had examined 3,000 applicants, 2,000 of whom passed, and of these eligibles 40 whom passed, and of these

Miss Mary Sands, the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frederick P. Sands, has given to Miss Sands, as a wedding present, the valuable jewels which were bequeathed him by his grandmother Spencer, who died last spring. They are said to be valued at \$60,000.

Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte, who, with Mrs. Bonaparte, left Lenox yesterday afternoon, went to Boston, where he will inspect the navy yard.

Moriz von Szent-Ivany, the newly appointed attache of the Austrian embassy, has joined the ambassador and his staff at Lenox, and will probably spend the month of September with them

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

Grant L. English, 24, and Minnie S. Bowles, 26; both of Petersburg, Va. Perry W. Pulley, 50, and Louise Hearie, 37.

Raymond C. Phillips, 23, and Lillie A. Hessler, 19. James A. Gray, 35, and Blanche John on, 23. Frank A. Spies, 32, and Robina F. Whitlock, 27; both of Richmond, Va.

James Davis, 28, and Elmira Peter-Henry S. Richardson, 28, Baltimore Md., and Carrie L. James, 19, District

of Columbia.

Robert W. Van Deventer, 21, and Maye Silcott. 19.

John C. Shaw. 30, Dayton, N. C., and Sallie D. Leonard, Spencer, N. C. Thomas M. Rowlett, 19, and Gertrude D. Jones, 20; both of Blackstone, Va. John A. Fitzgerald, 24, District of Columbia, and Margaret Barrett, 32, of Baltimore.

ALLEGED ASSASSIN OF A CZAR TO BE U. S. CITIZEN

and the Marquise Emanuel de Rosales.

We are to have two Duchesses of Marlborough with us in this country soon. Her grace Lily, the dowager, came over a few days ago, and next week her grace Consuelo, the reigning duchess, will be here. Society is making great preparations to receive the former Miss Vanderbilt. Among the most elaborate entertainments as yet arranged in her honor is the dinner to be given by Mrs. Clarence Mackay. Mrs. Mackay was one of the bridesmaids at the wedding of the duchess, her school friend, almost ten years ago. After dinner Wahay Franko, one of the conductors at the Metropolitan Opera House, and the opera house orchestra of sixty musicians, will give an interesting concert. Probably not more than sixty guests will be present, so there will be a musician to each guest. The guests will be the smarts set. The dinner will be served at one great table.

The musicale will be in the great stone hall, the feature of the Mackay house. This extends from the ground to the roof, and the solid stone walls are hung with tapestry and trophies of the hunt. The Duchess of Mariborough will be the guest of her mother, Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmont, who has a home near Hempstead.

Lorillard Spencer, jr., who will be VICTORIA, B. C., Sept. 15 .- Among the refugees from Sakhalin in Japan is Prof. Alexieff Torigony, formerly of the

ROYAL TAILOR DEAD.

the guest of her mother, Mrs. Oliver H.
P. Belmont, who has a home near Hempstead.

Lorillard Spencer, jr., who will be married in Newport next Tuesday to

DILGRIM'S DROGRESS

OUT FOR HUMAN LIFE

Fire in Chicago Destroys Part of Plant and Imprisons Employes, Whe Finally Escape.

CHICAGO, Sept. 15.-A great fire in the West Side that waged uncontrolled for some time early yesterday, destroyed part of the Featherstone Machine and Foundry Company's plant, at North Halsted street and Chicago avenue, im-periling the lives of many employes who were caught in the building by the flames and rescued with difficulty. The damage is estimated at not less than \$190,000.

The fire started somewhere in the The fire started somewhere in the upper story of the building in the middle of the plant and spread with great rapidity through the entire section. Employes, more than 100 in number, had scant dime to make their escape.

Some caught by the flames in the upper stories of the burning structure, were carried down the fire escapes by firemen, or climbed down themselves through the smoke and fire.

HYDE'S STENOGRAPHER ON HER HONEYMOON

NEW YORK, Sept. 15 .- Although he had vowed to devote his life to scientific pursuits, Prof. H. Harold Higbie, instructure in electrical engineering in the University of Michigan, succumbed to Cupid's darts when he met Miss Helen Burch, stenographer to James Hazen Hyde.

moon today, the wedding having been performed in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Colyer, at 148 State street, Brooklyn,

GEORGE W. EVANS AGAIN AT HIS DESK

George W. Evans, disbursing officer of the Interior Department, who has been sick for the past ten days, has recovered, and is again at his desk.

